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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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REMARKS

Applicants offer the following comments in response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance set forth on page 2 of the Notice of Allowability dated September 8, 2005.


The Examiner does not accurately reflect the claim language recited in independent claims 1, 6 and 7. Specifically, the term "olefin copolymer" is not recited in claim 1 and the term "rubber core" is not recited in claims 6 and 7.

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Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that each claim is patentable based on its own language and not based on any paraphrasing or addition of language that may have been made by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,


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